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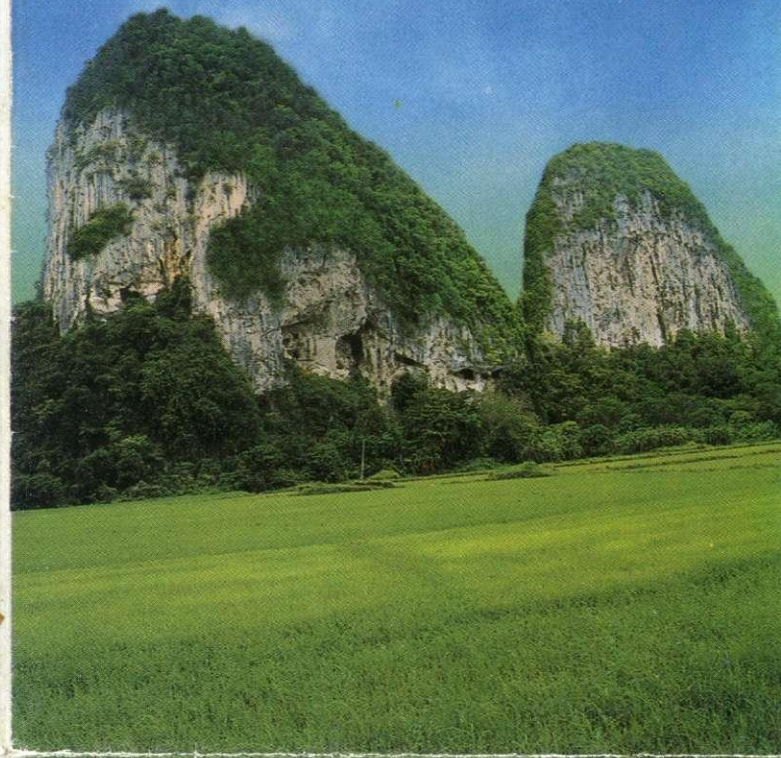
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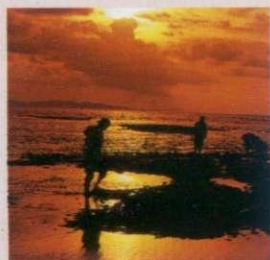


PERLIS



LEGEND

- State Capital
- Town/Village
- Railway Station
- River
- - - State Boundary
- - - International Boundary
- Federal and State Roads
- Expressway/Highway
- Lake
- ▲ Park Visitor Centre
- 7 Federal Route Number
- Places of Interest
- ⚓ Ferry
- Bt. Bukit/Hill
- Sg. Sungai/River
- Ptn. Perhentian/Station



ECONOMY

The economic activity of Perlis is predominantly agriculture, which takes up 63% of the total land use, while forestry and fishing are other important activities. Rice, rubber and sugar cane are extensively cultivated while fruit production, especially mango and watermelon, is also significant.

The manufacturing and mining sector, although accounting for only 0.1% of land-use, is a major contributor to the state's coffers, yielding around 25% of GDP.

A sugar refinery exists in Chuping while a cement factory is located at Bukit Keteri. Industrial estates have also been established with industrial activity covering plastic products, electrical and electronic products, scientific equipment, textiles and fabricated metal products.

The state is also venturing into high technology industries with the new Sungai Chuchoh Industrial Park being specifically designed for such activities.

PEOPLE

Perlis boasts a multiracial mix of people and an interesting pot-pouri of traditions, customs and religions.

ENTRY FORMALITIES

Two important gateways into the state are Padang Besar and Bukit Kayu Hitam on the Perlis-Thai border.



CULTURAL HERITAGE

Like other parts of Malaysia although Perlis has a multiracial society, there is a predominance of Malay and Thai influence here. One aspect where this is evident is in its colourful musical and dance performances. The *Tarian Canggung*, a traditional dance, is a post-harvest celebration dance. During the *Tarian Canggung*, singing and the exchanging of words in *Pantun* (poetic stanzas), often humorous,

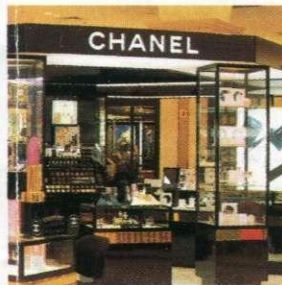


allow the whole community to participate and respond to the accompaniment of foot-stomping music.

The *Tarian Terinai*, another traditional dance, is usually reserved for royal ceremonies. It is performed to the accompaniment of the *gendang terinai* (drums) usually played by five musicians.

Story tellers called *Awang Batil* tell of the glory of bygone days. Similar in many ways to the minstrels of old, the *Awang Batil* is an expert with words and they weave mesmerizing tales of past heroes and great deeds. The *Awang Batil* will beat his drum throughout the story, occasionally playing a tune on the flute as the story line demands, keeping the crowds enthralled to the end.

Seni Silat, the Malay art of self defence, is practised by both individuals and groups. Stylised versions now grace official functions and festivities.

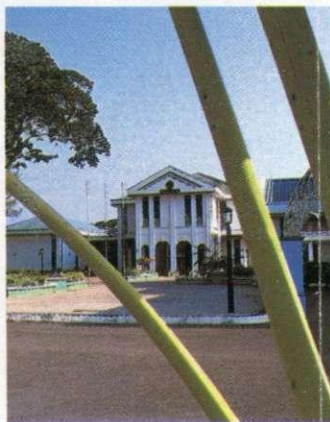


INTRODUCTION

Bordered by the Thai province of Satun in the north, Kedah in the east and south and lapped by the gentle waters of the Straits of Malacca on its western coastline, Perlis exudes quaint unspoilt beauty and old rustic charm. Its land area of 795 square kilometres and population of 217,480 makes Perlis the smallest state in Malaysia. Expansive green padi plains, punctuated occasionally by limestone mounds, and the laid-back rural lifestyle makes driving a refreshing and pleasant way to experience the offerings of this destination.

The state capital of Perlis is Kangar while the royal town of Arau, only 10 kilometres away, is the disembarkation point for visitors travelling by rail to Perlis. Perlis lies on both the road and rail routes linking Singapore and Kuala Lumpur in the south and Bangkok in the north.

From January to April, the weather is usually warm and dry with September to December being wetter months. The annual range of temperature is from 21° C to 32° C while the average rainfall is between 2000ml to 2500ml.



HISTORY

Perlis was originally a part of the older Kingdom of Kedah which was conquered by Thailand in 1821. After the restoration of the Sultan of Kedah to his throne in 1842, the Thais established Perlis as a vassal state.

In 1905, Perlis obtained from Thailand the services of a European advisor to help in the administrative and financial affairs of the state. The Anglo - Siamese Treaty of 1909 transferred suzerainty of Perlis from Thailand to Britain and a British advisor was appointed to administer the state. A formal treaty between Britain and Perlis was only signed in 1930.

In World War II, the Japanese occupation forces handed Perlis back to Thailand. After the war, Perlis again came under British protection and it continued until Perlis gained independence with the formation of the Federation of Malaya in 1957.

Archeological evidence of ancient man have been found in Perlis. Gua Bintong has provided details of Hoabinhian culture dating back to around 5,000 years ago, while pottery and stone tools (adzes) from the late Neolithic era were found not only in Gua Bintong, but also during excavation works for the new Kota Kayang Museum.



MAJOR FESTIVALS & CELEBRATIONS IN MALAYSIA

HARI RAYA AIDILFITRI. A meaningful day of celebration for Muslims to mark the end of Ramadhan or the fasting month. Muslims usher in Hari Raya Aidilfitri with prayers in the mosque and asking forgiveness from family members. It is customary during this occasion for Muslims to open their homes to well-wishers as well as to visit friends and relatives. A special delicacy that is served at this time is Lemang, glutinous rice cooked in bamboo stems.



CHINESE NEW YEAR. Chinese New Year is celebrated over a period of 15 days, beginning from the first day of the Chinese lunar calendar. It is a joyous occasion marked by family reunions, the giving of red packets or 'ang pow' by parents to their children, relatives or well-wishers. This practice coupled with the giving away of oranges is intended as a symbol of prosperity and good luck for the recipients. Another feature is the traditional lion dance.

THAIPUSAM. Thaipusam is a day for penance and atonement among the Hindu community. The festival begins with a grand procession in Kuala Lumpur of the silver chariot bearing the statue of Lord Subramaniam. A striking feature of the procession is the sight of thousands of coconuts being thrown on the streets and devotees carrying kavadis or wooden steel yokes with longspikes and metal hooks pierced into their bodies.

MEGA SALE CARNIVAL. Malaysia is famous for its shopping where quality, variety and pricing is hard to beat. The Mega Sale Carnival is held three times a year, in March, August and December and discounts galore are offered during these periods.

WESAK DAY. Wesak Day celebrated in May is the most auspicious day in the Buddhist calendar as it marks the birth, enlightenment and death of Buddha. Celebrations begin before dawn with Buddhist devotees gathering in temples throughout the country. It is a time for prayers, offerings, chanting and alms giving. A significant act at this time is the releasing of doves and tortoises at temples.

COLOURS OF MALAYSIA. The rich and intricate potpourri of cultures and traditions reflecting the proud and unique heritage of Malaysia is seen in this event. This month-long event filled with many activities at various venues in Kuala Lumpur is certainly not to be missed.

FOOD & FRUITS FIESTA. Malaysia is endowed with a fabulous range of Asian and International cuisine. Coupled with a plethora of tropical, sub-tropical and even temperate fruits, Malaysia's Food and Fruits Festival offers a culinary experience that is difficult to find elsewhere.

NATIONAL DAY. August 31 marks the nation's national day which is celebrated in Kuala Lumpur at the Dataran Merdeka or Merdeka Square, situated in front of the Royal Selangor Club. Thousands of spectators converge on the city to watch the colourful parade along the streets of the city and performances held at the Merdeka Square. However, the celebrations are held on a rotational basis in each state.

DEEPAVALI. Among the Hindus, Deepavali or the Festival of Lights signifies the triumph of good over evil. Celebrated during the 7th month of the Hindu calendar, a traditional oil bath precedes the festivity. The celebration includes visits to temples and prayers at household altars. Hindu homes are adorned with lights or oil lamps to signify the victory of Lord Krishna over the demon Narakasura.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SONGKRAN FESTIVAL

Venue: Watt Jejawi, Perlis
Organiser: Malaysian Siamese Association, Perlis
Tel : 04-970 2256/019-454 0888
(Miss Chun)
Fax: 04-976 0900

RALLY PERLIS - STAGE 1, 2, 3, & 4

Venue: Sugarcane Plantation, Felda Chuping, Perlis
Organiser: Perlis Motorsport Association
Tel : 04-976 2058
Fax: 04-976 1778

BIRD SINGING & SERAMA CHICKEN CONTEST

Venue: Batu Pahat River, Perlis
Organiser: Perlis State Department
Tel : 04-976 1957
Fax: 04-976 2951



PERLIS MANGO FEST

Venue: Bukit Bintang Agriculture Complex
Organiser: Perlis Agriculture State Development
Tel : 04-976 2466
Fax: 04-976 2929

BIRTHDAY OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE RAJA OF PERLIS

Venue: Arau, Perlis
Organiser: Perlis State Government
Tel : 04-976 1957
Fax: 04-977 5862

PERLIS ATHLETICS OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP (ASEAN)

Venue: Main Stadium, Perlis
Organiser: Perlis Athletics Amateur Association
Tel : 04-976 7406/012-489 2738
(Mr Iyaru Muthusamy)
Fax: 04-977 1808

PERLIS FOOD AND FRUITS FESTIVAL

Venue: Bukit Ayer, Perlis
Organiser: Perlis State Government
Tel : 04-976 1957
Fax: 04-977 5862

ASEAN MOUNTAIN BIKE CHAMPIONSHIP

Venue: Perlis
Organiser: Perlis Bicycle Association
Tel : 04-977 1851
Fax: 04-977 1851

PERLIS INTERNATIONAL CYCLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Venue: Perlis
Organiser: Perlis Cycling Association
Tel : 04-977 1851
Fax: 04-977 1851

NATIONAL LAWN BOWL TOURNAMENT

Venue: Kangar, Perlis
Organiser: Perlis Lawn Bowls Association
Tel : 04-977 1928
Fax: 04-977 1959

MOUNTAIN BIKE COMPETITION

Venue: Wang Kelian, Perlis
Organiser: Perlis Cycling Association
Tel : 04-977 1851
Fax: 04-977 1851

LOY KRAATHONG CELEBRATIONS

Venue: Watt Jejawi, Perlis
Organiser: Malaysian Siamese Association, Perlis
Tel: 019-454 0888
Fax: 04-970 2256

PLACES OF INTEREST

KANGAR

Kangar is the capital of Perlis and the seat of government. It is located in the heart of the country's "rice bowl" area and depending on the season, it is surrounded by lush green fields or golden yellow padi, ripe for harvesting. Although new buildings can be seen, Kangar retains much of its old world charm.



A small town, with everything within walking distance, Kangar is not lacking in amenities and facilities. The major landmark of the town is the state mosque, Masjid Alwi.

TASIK MELATI (MELATI LAKE)

Located just 8 km north of Kangar, this shallow lake is an ideal place for boating, picnics and relaxing walks. More than 150 sandbar islands dot the lake and can be reached by boat or *sampan*. Elevated walkways across the lake provide vantage points.



ARAU

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PUTRA GOLF CLUB

Close to the Snake and Reptile Farm is a challenging par 72, 18 hole golf course. The Putra Golf Club is reputed for its technically difficult and challenging course.



HUTAN LIPUR BUKIT AIR (BUKIT AIR RECREATIONAL PARK)

Just a few kilometres north of the Golf Club is the Bukit Air Recreational Park. Cool streams meander through



rich tropical forest and waterfalls cascade into rocky pools. Well constructed paths allow easy access through the park where visitors can experience the sights and sounds of a tropical rainforest. An excellent location for picnics, the park has a camping ground, a car park and all the basic amenities.

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Arau is the disembarkation point for visitors travelling by rail from Kuala Lumpur to Langkawi. From Arau, taxis to Kuala Perlis, the point of departure by ferry to Langkawi, are available.

THE SNAKE AND REPTILE FARM

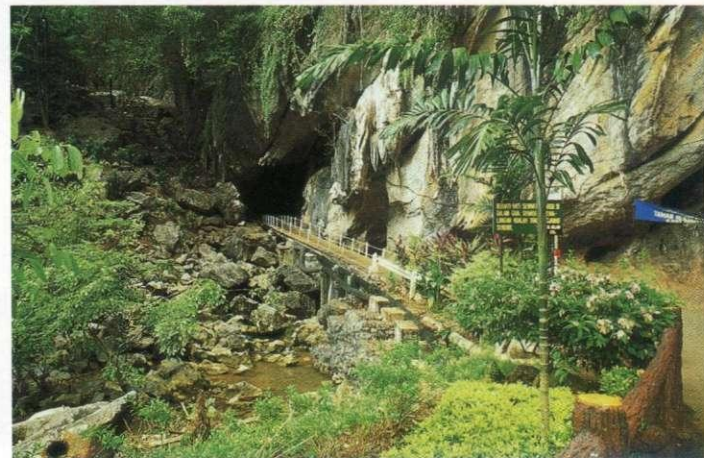
Surrounded by the Bukit Bintang Forest Reserve near Sungai Batu Pahat, and located 10 kilometres north of Kangar is the Snake and Reptile Farm. The Snake Farm is a research facility set up to develop serums for snakebites. Housing more than 20 species of snakes as well as crocodiles and monitor lizards, it is the only snake farm in Malaysia. The farm has open air enclosures as well as enclosed exhibits. Handlers will assist the public to take photographs with tame snakes.



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have been hollowed out from limestone massif by an underground stream over many eons. A wooden walkway stretching the entire length of the cave allows visitors to view the magnificent stalagmite and stalagmite formations. The original cave was enlarged in 1935 by a resident Englishmen to serve as a route for the transportation of tin ore. It is now a convenient way for local folk travelling on motor cycles to get from Kaki Bukit to the Wan Tangga Valley and vice versa.

MUSEUM KOTA KAYANG

This new museum is situated close to what was



historically a fortified area. In fact, the word 'Kota' translates as fort in English. The area is also the burial ground for two 16th century Sultans of Kedah. The remains of a palace is surrounded by limestone outcrops.

The site is marked by two simple mausoleums with gravestones and the remnants of timbers that demarcated the burial sites.

While the grounds were being excavated for the construction of the new museum, artifacts most likely from the late Neolithic era were found. A bell-mouthed jar of red slip ware with cord-mark style, signifying the Ban Kao Neolithic culture of southern Thailand and Malaya, was found fairly intact. A similar splayed foot beaker and two excellent polished stone adzes, all corresponding to other similar finds in northern Malaya, probably date to around 2,000 to 2,500 years in age.

Also found at the same site was what appeared to be a die or mould of Indian origin. Other artifacts of Indian origin have been found in the northern regions, especially pottery, and date back to about 2,600 to 2,200 years, corresponding with the finds at the museum site.

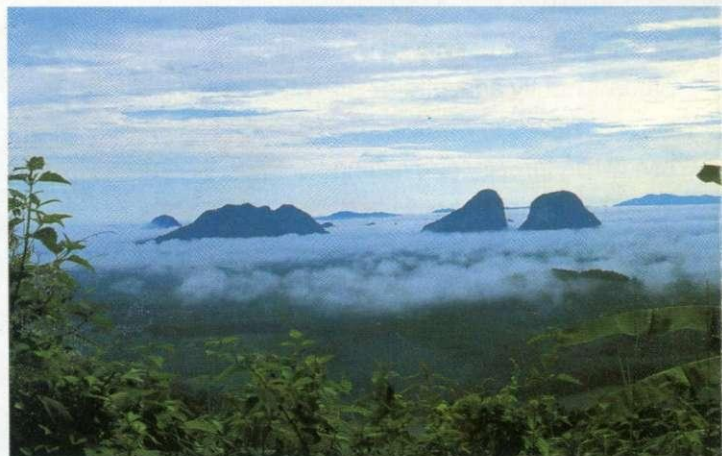
TAMAN HERBA (HERB GARDENS)

Adjacent to Bukit Air Recreational Park, on 12 hectares of land, is the Herb Gardens. Created in 1998, its gardens now contain over 1,000 species of herb, spice and traditional medicinal plants. Both local and exotic species from other countries are grown and visitors to the gardens can learn about their uses and how to care for such plants.



KUALA PERLIS

The major ferry terminal for visitors departing for the enchanted isles of Langkawi is located at the mouth of the Perlis river, in the town of Kuala Perlis.



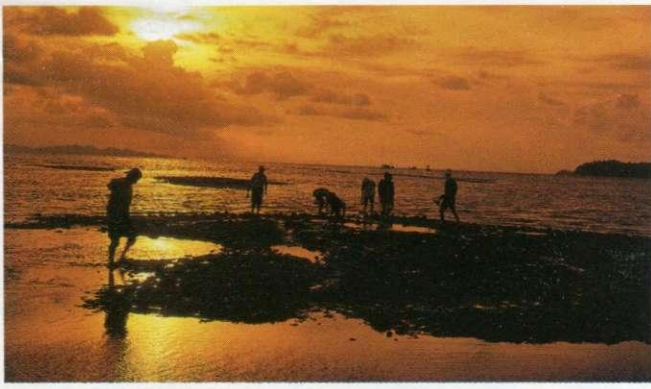
All visitors to the park must register at the Park Visitor Centre. The centre houses an exhibition on the park and audio visual facilities. Those who wish to visit the Wang Burma Cave and Gunung Perlis can hire their guides at the centre. Park accommodation situated at Wang Burma, about 1.2 km from the visitor centre.

Various nature trails have been made to provide easy access and trail R-15 to **Wang Kelian** offers a commanding view of the surrounding countryside, including Timah Tasoh lake and the unique twin peaks of **Bukit Chabang**.

Wang Kelian houses a popular Sunday market where visitors can cross the Thai-Malaysian border without the use of passports, provided that



they remain within the market area.



The major activity found in Kuala Perlis is fishing and many superb seafood restaurants can be found in this small fishing town.

PERLIS STATE PARK

The Perlis State Park is located along the north-western part of the Thai-Malaysian border. Straddling the Nakawan Range, the longest continuous range of limestone hills in the country, the park consists of the Mata Ayer Forest Reserve and the Wang Mu Forest Reserve. It comprises a total area of around 5,000 hectares.

The Nakawan Range has rich, heavily forested slopes, extensive cave systems, sheer cliff faces and numerous jungle streams.

There is a rich bio-diversity in the forests as rare species of ginger, ferns and balsams are found nowhere else but here. It is also the only place in Malaysia where the Stumped-Tail Macaque is found.



PADANG BESAR

Padang Besar is a bustling border town with a profusion of colours, sights and sounds. It is also a major stopover along the rail route between Singapore, Malaysia and Thailand.

The elongated railway station is manned by Malaysian officials at one end and their Thai counterparts at the other.

Padang Besar is a bargain hunter's paradise and boasts duty free shops and a variety of produce, souvenirs and artifacts that bear testimony to the rich cultural legacy of the state.

CHUPING

The town acquired its name from a limestone hill known locally as Bukit Chuping. The surrounding landscape is characterised by lush green sugar cane plantations covering some 22,000 hectares.



FOOD

Perlis offers a delightful variety of ethnic cuisine. A fusion of Malay, Chinese, Thai and Indian food aroma waft continuously through the air. Western fare is also available in hotels and cafes. All major towns are within 20 kilometres of the coast, making fresh seafood easily available. 'Laksa Perlis' is a seafood noodle soup and its ingredients can be combined according to your preference. The thick, rich, spicy and creamy fish gravy is exhilarating to the palate.

The choice of eating places ranges from hawker centres to air-conditioned restaurants and luxury hotels. The prices are reasonable and the service friendly and courteous.

FARMERS MARKET

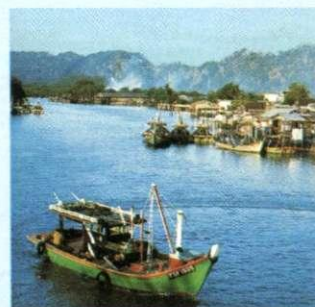
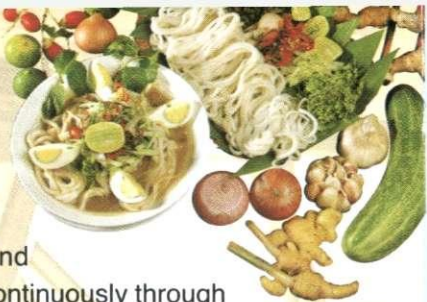
The farmer's market is held in designated locations around the state. Farmers and vendors sell a variety of fresh produce, fruit, vegetables, fish and prawns as well as non-agricultural goods.



NIGHT MARKET

The 'Pasar Malam' or Night Market offers a fiesta-like atmosphere and business is usually brisk even at as early as five o'clock in the evening. Night Market are held usually on open ground or alongside roads which have been approved by the authorities. The 'Pasar Malam' sells everything imaginable – clothing, food, hardware, clocks, watches, shoes, fresh fruits and vegetables, fish, meat, household goods and electrical wares.

The market is held at a different location each night of the week.



ACCOMODATION

Accommodation in Perlis ranges from deluxe hotels to various types of budget accommodation, government resthouses, bed and breakfast establishments, and small hotels. They generally provide clean and efficient service.

BUKIT AIR JUNGLE PARK RESORT

Jalan Sungai Batu Pahat
01000 Kangar, Perlis
Tel : 04-977 0710/0762
Fax : 04-977 7285
E-mail: dzul_sribayu@hotmail.com
Room: 60 chalets, 5 suites & 40 villas
Rate : RM90 - RM2,700

FEDERAL HOTEL

104 A&B,
Jalan Kangar
01000 Kangar, Perlis
Tel : 04-976 6288
Fax : 04-976 6224
Room: 46 rooms
Rate : RM21 - RM120

MALAYSIA HOTEL

67, Jalan Jubli Perak
01000 Kangar, Perlis
Tel : 04-976 1366
Room: 25 rooms
Rate : RM30 - RM50

UTARA SEMARAK RESORT

Batu Pahat
01000 Kangar, Perlis
Tel : 04-977 2233
Room: 14 chalets
Rate : RM50



PUTRA PALACE

135, Persiaran Jubli Emas
01000 Kangar, Perlis
Tel : 04-976 7755
Fax: 04-976 1049
Room: 145 rooms
Rate : RM200 - RM1,000

Notes: All fares/rates are subject to change from time to time.

GETTING TO PERLIS

BY AIR

There are no flights to Perlis. Visitors have to fly to Alor Setar and then take a 45 minute's taxi ride to Kangar.

BY RAIL

| Mode | Route | Day Operation | Fare* |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---|
| Ekspress Senandung to Arau Langkawi | Kuala Lumpur | 7.50pm-9.18am | 1st Class (Bed) RM62.00 per person (Upper) RM70.00 per person (Lower) |
| | Arau to Kuala Lumpur | 6.33pm-8.20am | 2nd Class (Seat) RM31.00 per person 2nd Class (bed) RM38.00 per person (Upper) RM41.00 per person (Lower) |
| | | | Economy (Seat) RM18.00 per person |

BY ROAD (TAXI & EXPRESS BUS)

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|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Kuala Lumpur to Kangar | RM300.00 per taxi |
| Ipoh to Kangar | RM240.00 per taxi |
| Alor Setar to Kangar | RM20.00 per taxi @ RM5.00 per person |
| Padang Besar to Kangar | RM12.00 per taxi @ RM3.00 per person |
| Kuala Perlis to Kangar | RM8.00 per taxi @ RM2.00 per person |

Interstate air-conditioned buses ply between major cities and towns in Peninsular Malaysia and offer comfortable rides at reasonable rates.

| Mode | Route | Day Operation | Fare* |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Ekspress Nasional | Kuala Lumpur to Kangar | 9.30am/9.30pm/10.00pm | RM28.00 per person |
| Plus Liner | Kuala Lumpur To Kangar | 11.45am/10.00pm | RM27.90 per person |
| Taiping Holidays (Super VIP) | Kuala Lumpur to Kangar | 9.30am/9.45pm | RM28.90 per person |
| | Singapore to Kangar | 5.45pm | RM53.00 per person |
| Zuco | Kuala Lumpur to Kangar | 10.30am/1.30pm/8.30pm | RM27.90 per person |
| Yakin | Kuala Lumpur to Kangar | 9.30pm | RM27.90 per person |
| Sutera | Kuala Lumpur to Kangar | 9.00am/9.15pm | RM27.90 per person |
| | Kluang, Johor to Kangar | 7.45pm | RM45.00 per person |
| | Seremban to Kangar | 9.15pm | RM31.40 per person |
| | Kuala Terengganu to Kangar | 8.00pm | RM37.70 per person |
| | Kota Bharu to Kangar | 8.00pm | RM25.00 per person |

*Half fare for children under 12 years old.

FERRY SERVICES BETWEEN PERLIS & LANGKAWI

Ferry boats provide scheduled crossings between Kuala Perlis and Kuah in Langkawi. The fare varies from RM12 to RM15 per adult and takes about an hour.

The first ferry from Kuala Perlis leaves for Kuah Jetty in Langkawi at 9.00am daily, and the last ferry leaves at 2.15pm. The last ferry back to Kuala Perlis leaves at 4.00pm.



GETTING AROUND

| Destination | Location | Distance (From Kangar Town Centre) |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| State Mosque | Kangar | |
| Tasik Melati | Kangar | 8 km |
| Royal Palace | Arau | 11 km |
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| Snake Farm | Sungai Batu Pahat | 12 km |
| Putra Golf Club | Sungai Batu Pahat | 12 km |
| Gua Kelam | Kaki Bukit | 36 km |
| Kota Al-Marhum Kayang | Kuala Perlis | 11 km |
| Kuala Perlis Jetty | Kuala Perlis | 13 km |
| Padang Besar | Boundary of Perlis and Thailand | 37 km |
| Wang Kelian State Park | Boundary of Perlis and Thailand | 37 km |



BY LOCAL BUS

*Syarikat HBR Express (From Kangar)

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| Kodiang | RM1.25 | Kaki Bukit | RM2.45 |
| Kuala Perlis | RM1.05 | Changlun | RM2.20 |
| Simapng Empat | RM1.05 | UITM, Arau | RM1.10 |
| Bukit Keteri Mata Air | RM0.90 | Felda | RM2.65 |
| Padang Besar | RM2.50 | Alor Setar | RM3.70 |



PLACES OF INTEREST

1. Sri Kayangan Palace
2. EPF Tower
3. Menteri Besar's Residence
4. Ministry of Youth & Sports
5. Main Stadium
6. Alwi Mosque
7. State Museum & Heritage Hall
8. Recreational Park
9. City Hall Field
10. Tun Abd. Razak Building
11. Education Department
12. Land & Mines Office
13. State Library
14. Perlis Islamic Centre
15. Federal Building
16. Datok Sheikh Ahmad Stadium
17. Dato' Mahmud Mat Building

WET MARKET

1. Central Market
2. Wholesale Market

BUS, TAXI, POLICE & FIRE STATIONS, POST OFFICE

1. Bus & Taxi Station
2. Police Station
3. Post Office
4. Express Bus Station

5. Fire Station

GENERAL HOSPITAL

HOTELS

1. Putra Palace
2. Federal Hotel
3. Malaysia Hotel

LEGEND

- Jalan/Road
- Sungai/River
- Jambatan/Bridge